

FORM B - BUILDING

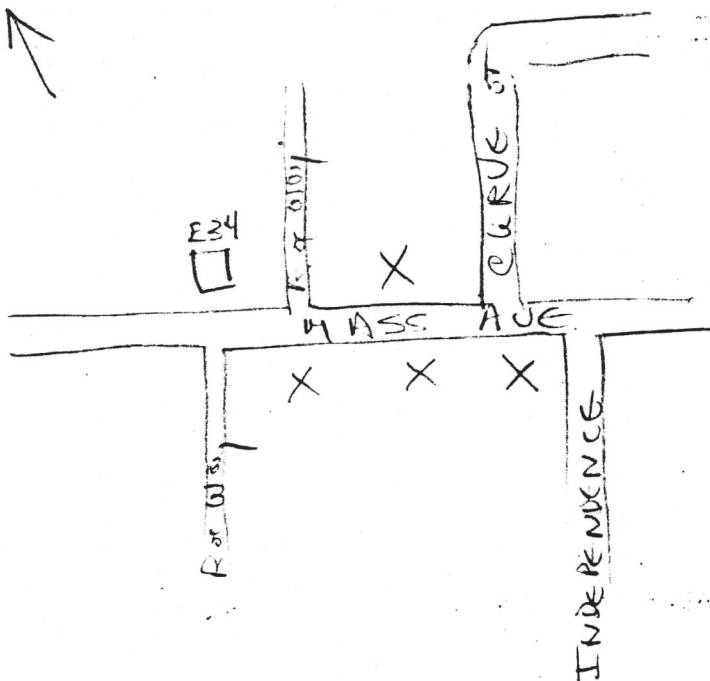
MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Office of the Secretary of State

In Area no.	Form no.
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n Lexington
ress 905 Mass. Ave.
a Thomas Hovey-Locke-Lee house
sent use - rental residence
sent owner ? Hanson, Clifford
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C. 1835
ource Deed Research

4. Map. Draw sketch of building location in relation to nearest cross streets and other buildings. Indicate north.



style Federal / Greek Revival
Architect _____
Exterior wall fabric _____
Outbuildings (describe) _____
Other features Five bays wide, 1 room deep,
granite foundation; center entrance; door w
side lights to
Altered _____ Date _____
Moved _____ Date _____

5. Lot size:
Less than one acre x Over one acre _____
Approximate frontage 100'
Approximate distance of building from street
15'

6. Recorded by Ann Grady
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DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
USGS Quadrant _____

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(over)

7. Original owner (if known) Thomas Hovey, bacon curer?

Original use _____

Subsequent uses (if any) and dates _____

8. Themes (check as many as applicable)

Aboriginal	_____	Conservation	_____	Recreation	_____
Agricultural	_____	Education	_____	Religion	_____
Architectural	_____	Exploration/ settlement	_____	Science/ invention	_____
The Arts	_____	Industry	_____	Social/ Humanitarian	_____
Commerce	_____	Military	_____	Transportation	_____
Communication	_____	Political	_____		
Community development	_____				

9. Historical Significance (include explanation of themes checked above)

bottom panel, narrow fluted pilasters; porch across front & right side; Doric columns, fluted; 1st. floor windows floor to ceiling 9 x 9 double hung. 2nd floor 6 x 6 windows. Triangular long ell right rear.

1853 map - T. G. Hovey

According to 1850 Census, Thomas G. Hovey was just 33
+ lived here with his wife + six children

According to E. B. Worthen this was the home of
Thomas Hovey and was later occupied by his
wife and daughters. From about 1920 to
1944 Dr Harry Lee lived here.

10. Bibliography and/or references (such as local histories, deeds, assessor's records, early maps, etc.)

E. B. Worthen, Tracing the Past in Lexington, Mass., p 45.